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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH
BLAIRMORE

Rev. James McKevey, Minister

Services Sunday next:

11:00 a.m., Senior school.
2:00 p.m., Junior school.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.

"V"

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE
(Anglican)

Rector: Rev. W. Grazier

Services Sunday next—

Sunday school 12:15 noon

Evensong 7:30 p.m.

This service will be conducted by Ven. Archdeacon R. Axon, BD, of Calgary.

"V"

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN
Captain and Mrs. T. Smith,
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11 a.m., Holiness meeting.
2:30 p.m., Directory class.
3 p.m., Sunday school.

7:30 p.m., Salvation meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise meeting.
Funerals, dedications and marriages on application to the local officers.

"V"

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 3 p.m.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

"V"

BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. Fred Bennett

Sunday school 10 a.m.

Morning worship 11 a.m.

Evening service 7:30 p.m.

Midweek meeting:

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

A cordial welcome awaits you.

WINTER DRIVING HINTS LISTED

You may avoid inconvenience, annoyance, and delay in starting your car in cold weather if you will . . .

Drain and flush the cooling system—check all hose connections—tighten clamps and add standard brand anti-freeze solution.

Check ignition system—distributor points—reset timing—clean or replace spark plugs.

Test battery for full charge—clean terminals and tighten cables.

Check and adjust fuel system.

Apply lightweight winter grade oil and grease.

Eight ounces of pure grain alcohol poured into your gasoline every time you fill your tank will prevent frozen fuel lines.

Avoid "racing" an automobile engine during the warm-up period. In addition to using a needless amount of gasoline, one runs the risk of increasing the wear on pistons, piston rings, and cylinders when the engine is speeded up before the cold oil has a chance to circulate thoroughly.

"V"

Taking a short cut through the park, a Navy flier thought he heard a large bronze statue say, "I wish I were an aviator!" Startled, he turned back and asked, "Did I hear you say you wanted to be an aviator?"

"Yes," said the statue, "I'd like to fly over a pigeon just once."

NOTICE

To members of the Crow's Nest Chapter, I.O.D.E.: The regular monthly meeting for November will be held on Tuesday, November 5th. Everyone please attend.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Mrs. W. Fisher was a bridge hostess on Saturday night. Three tables were in play, awards going to Mrs. R. Clark and Mrs. J. Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Halton, of Pincher Creek, were visitors here over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Moser and Mr. and Mrs. D. Halton.

Thieves broke into Halton & Moser's General store early Friday morning. They gained entrance by forcing the front door. A small amount of change and some merchandise was taken.

Miss Sadie McDougall, grade two teacher on the Hillcrest teaching staff, is on the sick list this week. Mrs. Alec Grant is substituting.

Also on the sick list are Mrs. C. Sevill and Mrs. E. Duke.

A caravan of people from Pincher Creek and a carload from Lundbreck journeyed here last Thursday evening to hear Major Jukes, national vice-president of the Social Credit organization. A fairly large attendance was present considering the short notice given. Mr. John Dudley was chairman and on the platform with Major Jukes was E. O. Duke, M.L.A.

UNWISE TO WAIT

In the closing days of last week officers of an independent organization, which makes a specialty of accurately measuring public opinion, became curious about the reception which Canadians are giving to the new Canada Savings Bond. They set their large and widespread staff to work in all provinces to find out, among other things, what percentage of the three million buyers of Victory Loan Bonds and War Savings Certificates had bought the new bonds to date; how many of the remainder intended to buy.

One of the more interesting facts which this survey uncovered was that an estimated 21 per cent of former-Victory Loan buyers in urban areas had not yet bought because they were waiting for a salesman to call; and in the rural areas an estimated 11 per cent were also waiting for a salesman. This proved of particular interest to those who planned and are giving direction to the sale of Canada Savings Bonds, in view of the fact that such wide publicity had been given on this very point. While there are a number of salesmen from investment houses in the field, they cannot begin to make the extensive canvas of individuals, particularly in rural areas, which was made by the sales force employed in Victory Loans. The odds are overwhelming that if this 21 per cent in cities and 11 per cent in rural districts continue to wait for salesmen, they will never buy a new bond.

Two other features of the survey show that 27 per cent of those in the rural areas who have yet to buy are going to send in their application by mail; and that 28 per cent of those in country areas, who bought Victory Bonds have not yet decided to send in new bond and are classed under the column, "Might buy." A good tip for those in the first group would be, "Act now on your good intentions," and for the second group, "End your indecision and buy. You obviously stand to benefit yourself, since it is the finest investment available today. In case of need you can turn it into cash at 100 cents on the dollar, plus interest at any time."

"V"

Jack O'Neill returned this week from Calgary, where he had been a hospital patient for a few weeks.

REMEMBER?



WHY WE WEAR A POPPY

The Poppy is the symbol of sacrifice in war. It was decided that the blood red poppy of Flanders where so many of our gallant men had fought and died should be used as a symbol and accordingly Poppy Day was organized. The sale of these poppies by sympathetic volunteers has met with popular approval. It is a time when all Canadians, rich or poor, from the tiniest tot with his penny to the business man, can contribute. It has been successful for years and continues to be so, and we are in hopes that this year will prove to be even more successful.

All the year around there are disabled veterans who work in two factories called Veterans Craft Shop in Toronto and Montreal, making poppies and wreaths for sale. It is the only livelihood that they have. The money collected from the sale goes towards their salaries.

In wearing the poppy and guarding its privileges we are doing three things:

(1) We keep in remembrance the sacrifice of Canadian marines and womanhood in war and help to pass on the memory of war sacrifices to future generations.

(2) We provide work for disabled veterans.

(3) We help to create funds to be used for assistance of disabled and otherwise needy ex-service persons and their dependants and the dependants of those who paid the supreme sacrifice who need help in various ways.

And so on November 11th of each year we held a Remembrance Day, to keep sacred the memory of these departed heroes who made it possible through their selfless sacrifice to keep us free. "V"

Miss Vane: "Someone told me today that I was the handsomest girl in the street."

Miss Speltz: "Oh, that's not inc-

lusive, able."

Miss Vane: "What do you mean?"

Miss Speltz: "Your habit of talking to yourself."

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Breeding Corn Hybrids



Here a corn single cross hybrid is being evaluated at the Division of Forest, Flora and Experimental Station, Ottawa. This will be used for producing double-cross hybrids and the seed obtained will be used for tests to determine yield and other factors. A year's work is saved by making this cross in the greenhouse.

ELK ISLAND NATIONAL PARK

The foresight of the Government of Canada in setting aside national/park areas has proved very effective in conserving the wildlife of this country, notable example is the saving of the buffalo from possible extinction.

In the early sixties, it is claimed, there were millions of bison, or buffalo roaming the plains of North America. Some thirty years later, because of the relentless slaughter for profit, for sport, or simply for the lust of killing, buffalo had become quite scarce. The story of the saving of this magnificent species is closely bound up with the establishment of Canada's national park system. Today there are 26 national parks covering an area of approximately 29,000 square miles and all are wildlife sanctuaries. One of the smallest, "Elk Island National Park" in central Alberta measuring 82 square miles, is frequently referred to as "the new home of the buffalo."

Elk Island Park was set aside in 1906 to preserve the wapiti, or elk, which was fast disappearing. Later the Canadian authorities decided to move the herd of buffalo temporarily established at Elk Island to a fence, reserve at Wainwright, Alberta. Some forty animals were so wild that they could not be captured. Descendants of that small but vigorous group now comprise one of the finest and healthiest herds on the North American continent. Under the strict regulations provided, other big game species such as elk, mule deer and moose share this ideal range with the former "Monarch of the Plains."

Bird life is very abundant in the park, which is one of the most important sanctuaries in the west. A spectacular sight in autumn is afforded by thousands of birds preparing to migrate south for the winter.

It was only to be expected that a natural museum of big game animals such as this would become an important tourist attraction. In recent years Elk Island has developed into a favorite summer playground. Facilities for the enjoyment of sports are numerous and varied. The recreation center of the park is at Sandy Beach, located on A-totin Lake. Sandy Beach is a long stretch of fine, clean sand, which affords excellent opportunities for swimming. Amusements such as swings and seesaws are provided for children in the immediate vicinity. The beach may be found an area suitable for baseball, softball, horseshoe pitching and other forms of outdoor recreation.

Smallest of all national park golf courses but certainly no least in popularity is the nine-hole lay-out on a rolling plateau southeast of A-totin lake. Small ponds are interesting hazards on this course and fine views may be had of A-totin lake, the rolling plateau and Beaver Hills. From the fairways buffalo, elk, moose and mule deer may be seen in their native surroundings.

One of the most popular recreations in the park is boating. Canoes and other water craft may be rented from a boat livery which operates during the summer season. A beautiful grove facing the lake, equipped with a large number of tables, benches and other conveniences, is a favorite spot for picnics.

Although there is no hotel or bungalow accommodation in the park many visitors during the summer of 1946 brought along their own camping equipment and lived out-of-doors. A public campground on the eastern side of A-totin Lake, not far from Sandy Beach, is well equipped with ditch shelter, stoves, tables and benches and has fire-wood, parking lots and other conveniences.

Autumn is one of the most attractive seasons in which to visit the created area. It is accessible either by motor road or railway. The road

Ottawa, Oct. 31—Canada Savings Bond sales total has reached \$23,500,000 at end of thirteen days, as advance of \$22,545,700 over previous reported total.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Wells, of Belevue, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Jean Littleton.

Mrs. Norman Horning, of DeWinton, is making a pastoral visit with her mother, Mrs. Helen Swart this week.

Hundreds of wild geese were seen passing over here this week on their migratory flight. They were mostly flying low owing to heavy weather by way of blinding snow.

Mrs. Maurice Lemire has returned from St. Vincent's hospital, Pincher Creek, with her infant daughter, Sharon.

John Littleton, of Grand Prairie arrived here on Tuesday to attend the funeral of his father, the late Mr. Robert Littleton.

Mrs. C. J. Bundy has returned home following several weeks spent visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Yvonne Coombs and family, of Montreal, and her father, Mr. Graham, of Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. X. C. Kaupp is visiting in Lethbridge this week.

Wm. Cochran is a patient in St. Vincent's hospital, Pincher Creek, suffering a light attack of pneumonia.

The community stock sale which was held at Lundbreck on Thursday, October 24th, was largely attended. The top steer owned by Tony Litvak sold for \$34.40; a carload of steers sold by Frank Stanton went at \$2.50; calves 10 cents, calves 12 cents. Buyers were Canada Packers, Union Packers and Burns Packers.

Another link in the past is broken in the person of Robert Littleton when at the ripe age of 78 death overtook him on Sunday morning, October 27th. Mr. Littleton was born in Cumberland, England in 1869, coming to this district in 1909 where he has since resided. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon from St. Martin's Anglican church to the Cowley cemetery where interment was made with Rev. Mr. Cyril Clarke in charge.

Floral tributes and many kind acts of sympathy mark the esteem in which the deceased was held in this community. Pallbearers were: Wilfred Welsh, Hector Lumire, Harry Gunn, Clarence Bundy, Griffith Parry and Arthur Tustian. Left to mourn his loss are his wife Jean, here, one son and three daughters; J. O. Littleton, of Grand Prairie, Alberta, Mrs. R. J. Welsh of Lundbreck, Alberta, Mrs. W. Richardson of Cumberland, England, and Mrs. W. Hurst, also of Cumberland, England. Eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

runs right through the park from north to south and connects with the main provincial highway system of Alberta. It is approximately one hour's run from Edmonton.

Elk Island has become a very important link in the chain of Canada's national parks system. Not only is it helping to conserve wildlife, but should continue to attract visitors in increasing numbers. During Aug. 27th year the number of visitors entering the park was more than double that of the same period last year. Many of them are able to adorn their snapshot albums with interesting mementos of their visit to the range of "one of the most magnificent quadrupeds that ever trod the earth."

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The Nuremberg Trials

IN A WORLD WHICH HAS GROWN accustomed to events of immense importance following each other in quick succession, it is difficult at times to evaluate what is happening in terms of its effect on the future well-being of the world. The Nuremberg war trials have now been ended. A number of trials of Nazi war criminals which for many weeks appeared in the press, told of the grim proceedings dealing with the accused leaders of Nazi Germany in the last war. It would be well, however, for the trials to be always remembered, for they marked a milestone in the course of human history, and there have been few events so filled with importance for this and succeeding generations as the dealing out of justice to those men who plotted together to bring misery and destruction to millions of innocent people.

Not Planned For Revenge

Although there are undoubtedly many who would feel that the sentences imposed were fitting retribution for the evils which the Nazi criminals had perpetrated, it was clearly indicated that revenge was not the motive of the trials nor did it influence their outcome. Rather, for the first time in history, these men were tried in an impartial court of justice with all the rights of prisoners in any free country, for their fiendish crimes against humanity. If the Nuremberg trials have the effect which it is hoped they will, statesmen in the future will be aware that they cannot bring peril upon people and nations at will without some day being liable to be called to account for their actions at a court such as was conducted at Nuremberg.

Excuses Were Not Accepted

The excuse put forth by the Nazi defendants in these trials, and by other war criminals before them, that they were the tools of others, in higher positions, was not accepted. In refusing it, the court at Nuremberg established a precedent which should in the future deter statesmen and others from instigating crimes such as were committed in Europe between 1939 and the defeat of Germany. During that time, millions of people were subjected to the cruelties of internment camps, extermination centres and other forms of degradation and cruelty, such as the almost incredible treatment dealt to the people of the village of Lidice. It is unthinkable that the world should again witness such horrors, and it is to be sincerely hoped that the lesson of the Nuremberg war tribunal will be well remembered, and will be instrumental in preventing any repetition of violation of human rights such as have occurred during the last decade.



Population Growth Prospects For Canada More Favorable than U.S.

NEW YORK. — The outlook for continued population growth by natural increase is far brighter for Canada than for the United States, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company statistics show.

Based on birth records of the two countries, the statistician said that in the years 1940-1942, Canadian population grew at the rate of 27 per cent, per generation while the United States rate was just a little more than requirements for a stationary population.

NO UNEMPLOYMENT FORESEEN IN UNITED KINGDOM

LONDON. — Supply Minister John Wilmot stated that unless the British government "made some terrible mistake," there would be no unemployment in this generation such as that which occurred between the First and Second World Wars.

Mr. Wilmot, addressing an audience in his home constituency of Deptford, in southeast London, said that Britain was entering a period in which the only limit to consumption was production. He added that the more British could produce, the more she could have.

He said the answer to the problem of shortages was to increase output.

ONE ON POSTMASTER

The postmaster of Yarmouth, Tenn., was rather dark as Postmaster Robert Sterchi dashed his large package, very properly addressed for mailing, in the container. As he turned away a stranger tapped him on the shoulder and explained: "Sir, that's the garbage can. The mail box is over here."

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A.—Notification of any change in address, name, ownership or character of business must be submitted to the Director of Licensing through the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, within ten days of such change; license must be returned to the Director of Licensing within ten days after discontinuance of business, for other than seasonal reasons.

Q.—Will you please tell me when the canned sugar coupons expire?

A.—No expiry date for canned sugar coupons has been announced. However, it is believed that you may rest assured that plenty of notice will be given through the press and over the air.

Q.—Are suits still held for discharged armed service personnel who are in possession of priority certificates?

A.—After October 30 no more priority suit certificates will be issued to discharged servicemen. Certificates which aren't turned in before October 30, remain valid until December 31.

Q.—Have California drivers been removed from the price ceiling?

A.—The Wartime Prices and Trade Board has removed California dates from price control.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

For Safe Driving

Clear Vision And Proper Care Goes Far To Prevent Accidents

About now is the proper time for motorists to consider safe driving in bad weather. Lives are at stake from inexperience, carelessness and neglect. The importance of a clean windshield for snowy, rainy days can not be too strongly emphasized. Clear vision is essential to safe driving and proper care will go a long way to insure a better position. Dried out rubber tires should be replaced at once and those spacers that do not easily clean the windshield should be changed. The prevention of "accidents" is vital to safe driving for the motorists and the innocent driver of the other car. It is better to be responsible than to try to explain to the coroner.—Brandon Sun.

STATISTICS SHOW COST OF LIVING FOR FARMERS UP

OTTAWA. — Farmers are paying more for necessities, services and living costs, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said. A composite index covering these costs to farmers rose three points to 141.6 between April and August.

The new figure was an increase of 5.6 per cent over August, 1945. The index, at 125 in 1940, was up 3.2 points in the April-August period while the Western index at 140.5 recorded an increase of 2.9.

A greater variation between East and West was apparent in the increases over August, 1945, levels—4.9 points in the East and 6.8 points in the West.

Each adult inhales a gallon of air minute, and consumes 30 ounces of oxygen daily.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

HORIZONTAL									
1 Bush	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
7 Air notices	8	To condense	9	10	11	12	13	14	
15 Circular	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Argent (table)	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
35 Occupied a	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44
45 Anger	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
55 To incite	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
65 Appendage	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74
75 French for	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84
85 Apparatus	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94
95 To exist	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104
105 Chair	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114
115 Starched	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124
125 To stand	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134
135 Distribute, as	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144
145 Miscreant	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154
155 To mitigate	156	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164
165 To make amends	166	167	168	169	170	171	172	173	174
175 Earth goddess	176	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184
185 Form of	186	187	188	189	190	191	192	193	194
195 After awhile	196	197	198	199	200	201	202	203	204
205 To encounter	206	207	208	209	210	211	212	213	214
215 Prefix: twice	216	217	218	219	220	221	222	223	224
225 Sun god	226	227	228	229	230	231	232	233	234

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE

LESS LIVESTOCK

Survey Shows A Decrease In All Classes

According to the survey of the principal classes of livestock on Canadian farms as at June 1, 1946, a decline in numbers was recorded in all classes—horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs—compared with 1945, as follows:

Horses, 2,396,550 in 1946, a decrease of 187,950 since 1945. Milk cows, 4,916,900 in 1946, a falling off of 44,500 compared with 1945, the corresponding date in the previous year. Cattle (including milk cows), 10,385,000 in 1946, a decline of 373,600 from 1945. Sheep and lambs, 5,578,400 in 1946, a drop of 246,400, or 4.3 per cent. Hogs, 5,477,300 in 1946, a decrease of 648,300.

The decline of horses on farms occurred principally in the Prairie Provinces. In regard to sheep, the only Province showing a gain over 1945 in numbers is Saskatchewan. The number of cattle is reported as having increased in Alberta, though the all-over reduction in numbers of sheep for Canada was 243,400 or 6.7 per cent.

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"But Margarey... you don't have to wait until morning before you eat your crisp delicious Grape-Nuts Flakes."

"Don't? Then pull up a cake of tea and we'll sit down to a couple of bowls of these malty-rich, honey-sweet Post's Grape-Nuts Flakes."

"Son of a hen! We'll have a bowl of walrus on all that grand nourishment in Grape-Nuts Flakes: carbohydrates for energy; protein for muscle; phosphorus for bones; iron for the blood; and other food essentials."

"I'm going to fill up the sled with some grainy economy packages of Grape-Nuts Flakes next time we're down at the trading post!"

Supply Still Short

But Stimulus Regarding Pure Black And White Pepper Is Improving.

The shortage of pure black and white pepper will last another six or nine months, W. Edgar Ducharme, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Spice Association, estimated.

All that is best in the civilization of today, is the fruit of Christ's appearance among men.—Daniel Webster.

The true test of civilization is not the census, nor the size of cities, nor the amount of wealth, but the kind of culture that comes with Emerson.

I believe from my heart that the cause which binds together my people and our gallant and faithful allies is the cause of Christian civilization.—King George VI of England.

If we would reach a stable civilization, we must penetrate below political and economic troubles into the spiritual depths of life. We must have a real concern for the welfare of all men and the liberty of conscience held sacred.—Mary Baker Eddy.

ONLY TWO COURSES

NEW DELHI. — With immediate effect only two courses can be served in Delhi restaurants instead of three courses as hitherto. This is the latest attempt by the central government to combat the India famine menace.

Cleopatra is said to be the first lady to change the color of her hair. She used henna.

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NEED OF COD LIVER OIL
Families are reminded by the Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa, that this is the period of the year for starting children on Cod Liver Oil again. Without sunshine or fish liver oil, healthy bone and tooth development is not possible, say the health authorities.



Brisk
* tasting LIPTON'S TEA

Soviet Russia Again Reduces Armed Forces

MOSCOW.—Soviet Russia announced another cut in her armed forces, the fourth since the end of the war.

The decree of the president of the Supreme Soviet, coming on the day the United Nations general assembly was opening in New York, emphasized again the words of Prime Minister Stalin to a British correspondent a month ago that he saw no real danger in the world.

It also emphasized the drive which Russia is making to put manpower back into industrial and agricultural production programs of the five-year plan, and the 56,000,000,000 ruble (\$1,400,000,000) budget for next year.

The decree said "older ages of soldiers and non-commissioned officers of land troops" would be sent home from the army in the period from Nov. 1 to Jan. 1. It did not say what age groups were going back to civilian life, but the most senior men have not been leaving the army.

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In view of the greatly reduced expenditure for defence, observers believe that this is not the last such order.

Although the latest order came on the day of the meeting of the United Nations' general assembly, observers believed this may have been only a coincidence inasmuch as demobilization appears to be following an overall pattern of getting men back into the thousands of jobs where they are needed.

MORE SUITS

Are Expected Soon Due To Lifting Of Restrictions For Soldiers

OTTAWA.—A price board spokesman said that with clothing priorities for veterans being dropped at the month-end the ordinary civilian should be able to shop successfully for a suit in time for the Christmas holidays.

Dropping of the priorities means that some hundreds of thousands of suits upon which uncharged services in the first call will be available on the open market soon.

Due to textile shortages, men's shops have been kept on strict quota cuts and replacements to fill suits cut from those quotas could be obtained only by the merchant turning back a serviceman's priority certificate.

This system had resulted in shops confining their sales almost exclusively to men who had priority certificates on hand to continue business. Textiles still are in short supply but the stocks being produced will go on the open market next month instead of being reserved for priority holders.

TRY CANADIAN STYLE

Russian Sports Committee Adopting Our Hockey Rules

MOSCOW.—The all-union sports committee has announced it has approved schedules for hockey play this year in its two leagues, one with the Canadian team and one playing on an amateur basis with the Russian style with 11 players.

"Canadian league play will start in December and last through February with 12 teams split into three groups. Teams are from Leningrad, Moscow, White Russia, Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania, and the Ukraine."

The Russian league will have its play-off in Moscow in February as usual while other leading teams fighting it out in an elimination tournament. Women also will participate in Russian-style hockey.

PLANS FOURTH REICH

NUERNBERG.—Rudolf Hess has taken over the No. 1 Nazi war罪犯, and Georgi Gorin, who is showing a keen memory, is drawing up plans for a "fourth Reich." Col. Burton C. Andrus, prison commander said. Hess was in good humor despite his life prison term. During the trial he acted in an eccentric manner but was ruled legally sane.

JUST WEATHER CHECK

BREST, France.—Speculation that a container dropped by parachute in a country area might have had some connection with the theft of jewels belonging to the Duke and Duchess of Windsor ended abruptly. The French meteorological bureau announced that it owned the container dropped as part of a routine weather check.

ATTENDING SOLDIERS' GRAVES

PARIS, Australia.—Task of tending United States and Australian war graves at this Queensland town will be allotted to her by Sir A. G. Manly. For this she has attended the graves of servicemen buried in war cemeteries here and has corresponded with wives and moth-



ELECTED.—The electors of Port-aux-Prairie constituency chose C. C. Miller (above), Progressive Conservative candidate, as their representative in the House of Commons in succession to the late Harry Leader, who had held the seat for the Liberals from 1935 until his death last May.

Ernest Bevin Outlines British Foreign Policy

LONDON.—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin in a two-day debate in the House of Commons enunciated British policy on world trouble areas in these words:

Greece—"We will not desert Greece—we shall take the British troops out of Greece, as far as we can."

India—"We have given definite orders that there is to be no interference with the government itself."

Indonesia—"British troops will be out of Indonesia by Nov. 30."

Japan—"We are about to insist that the Japanese have neither resources nor desire to tread the path of aggression again."

Middle East—"The government will respect, sustain and develop the independence of the peoples of the Middle East—not only the Arab countries."

Egypt—Negotiations are underway for a new treaty "founded on the interests of interdependence and mutual responsibility."

Dardanelles—Britain will insist on sovereignty of Turkey and the territories of other powers concerned outside the Black Sea area."

Italy—"We are looking to renewing relations on a more cordial basis with a new democratic Italy."

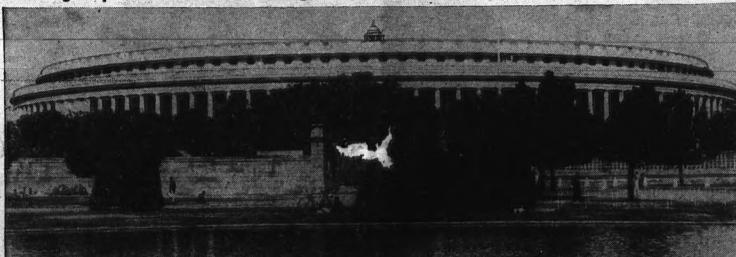
AFTER DAVIS CUP

American Team Flying To Australia To Compete For Tennis Trophy

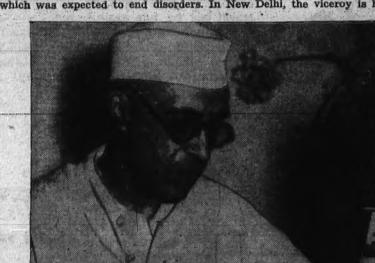
NEW YORK.—The American Davis cup team will leave San Francisco Nov. 15 by Pan American plane for Australia. Since the exchange and the international tennis trophy will be played the last week in December, Walter Pate, non-playing American captain, announced.

The party is due to reach Sydney on Nov. 18. It will mark the first time an American Davis cup team has flown to the site of a title match.

Rioting Reported From East Bengal As Moslems Accept Seats In India Government



Rioting reported on a larger scale than the Calcutta disturbances, which took 4,000 lives, broke out in East Bengal following acceptance of the offer which was expected to end disorders. In New Delhi, the viceroy is holding discussions at council house, shown here. Interim government would include six Congress, five Moslems, three others.



New offer by Viceroy Wavell for the Moslem League to enter the interim government is said to have been accepted. Pandit Nehru, above, is leader of the interim government.

WILL NEED WHEAT

Contract With Canada Does Not Fill Requirements Of Britons

EDMONTON.—Sir Alexander Clutterbuck, United Kingdom high commissioner to Canada, in an interview with Britain's wheat requirements this year and in 1947 will be about 220,000,000 bushels a year, or 60,000,000 more each year than is provided for under the Canadian contract.

In regard to the Canadian wheat contract, he said, "the Canadian production of 160,000,000 bushels a year, Sir Alexander said that Britain would need more than this amount for home consumption. Not only had she to take care of its home demands, but supplies also had to be furnished to the European occupation zone in Germany."

Britain, he said, had done much better than had been expected in making trade recovery in the post-war year, and there was every reason for optimism that the country would "break even next year."

He meant the time when exports were sufficiently high to pay for the goods which the country imported.

TERRORISTS BUSY

Threaten Death To Soldiers In Palestine Who Carry A Gun

JERUSALEM.—Agents of the Stern gang, Jewish underground organization, have threatened them out to "Kill and threatening death to "every soldier carrying or wearing a gun in Palestine."

The posters also warned of other measures "to combat our British enemies."

The Tel Aviv warnings were posted several hours after the election of a new leader, carrying 300 Jewish immigrants lacking permits to enter Palestine, to outside Haifa harbor and received a boarding party from the British minesweeper Moon.

The arrival of the ship was the chief topic of conversation. The men were current in official circles that the 300 immigrants would be transferred to a deportation ship and would sail for Cyprus, where the deportees would interned.

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For the birds that migrate to and from Canada travel at night.

United States Price Problems Felt In Canada

OTTAWA.—Price troubles in the United States continue to be a major worry to Canadian officials concerned with keeping prices down.

The fact that top American officials are trying early and to price and wage control in the United States adds complications to the Canadian situation. Policies of the two countries differ basically in that Canada has followed a blanket price ceiling plan while the United States has used selective ceilings.

Under the Canadian decontrol plan, a large number of goods regarded by the prices board as non-essential or bearing only a minor role as war criminals. This step, he said, is due to the pressure of British public opinion, which is reflected in the acquittal of the accused of war crimes tribunal. In consequence, it is believed that Alfred Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, 43, above, who succeeded the head of the Krupp arms industry, will go on trial before next spring.

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So far there has been no indication of early action to lift ceilings on Canadian foods with the exception of some luxury items.

In co-operation from the Canadian angle arises when American planes go up on goods which Canada normally imports from the United States. That creates a situation which means higher prices in Canada or holding down prices by government subsidies—and present policy is to try to reduce subsidies rather than create new ones.

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MAY GO ON TRIAL.—A top-level U.S. prosecution official has revealed that the British Labor government has decided to take a vigorous stand in favor of the trials of German industrial leaders as war criminals. This step, he said, is due to the pressure of British public opinion, which is reflected in the acquittal of the accused of war crimes tribunal.

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World Saved From Anarchy Through U.N.

MONTREAL.—Existence of the United Nations, during the critical post-war period, has had the effect of "saving humanity from world anarchy," Sumner Welles, former undersecretary of state for the United States.

The fact that the security council of the United Nations existed, and that its authority was recognized in practice, made it possible for such grave decisions as those imposed in the case of Japan, Korea and Greece either to be solved or at least to be led into channels where a just and peaceful solution could still be found, he said.

"The United Nations must be strengthened and improved so that more can be done on practical grounds rather than by advocating the immediate formation of a system of world government."

Russia has already expressed her opposition to world government. Mr. Molotov, foreign minister, said the United States would likely feel reluctant to support it.

Establishment of a just peace would more likely be realized if the lesser powers among the United Nations were afforded a far greater opportunity of sharing the decisions reached than that they had yet been accorded.

"A majority of the lesser powers have had no individual axe to grind. They are not bound solely by an overwhelming desire to see the conclusion of a peace that can last."

The compromises at the peace conference at Paris on Trieste, Italian colonies, freedom of navigation on the Danube, the frontier between Czechoslovakia and Poland, and other issues could not make for the establishment of any lasting peace, he said.

"These treaties represent only the lesser part of the peace-making problem. If the peace creation with Germany, with Japan, are to prove to be of the same nature as those now adopted, the results will necessarily be even more dangerous."

Referring to factors contributing to the mutual distrust of Russia and the western democracies, he said that what is required today is the persistent and patient effort on the part of the governments of the west to find those fair solutions for the practical problems which are keeping us apart. "Until this cleavage has been repaired, there will be no other recourse than to maintain their strength intact, and for peace and for safety, that close and understanding collaboration between them which I believe will from now on in any event prove to be abiding."

SURE OF SUCCESS

Russia's Foreign Minister Confident United Nations Will Overcome Difficulties

NEW YORK.—V. M. Molotov, Russian foreign minister, said he expects that the arguments of the United Nations will be settled and difficulties overcome in the interest of peace.

Molotov, smiling genially and speaking through an interpreter, told the Queen Elizabeth that "the delegation for the Soviet Union will work for the interests of peace because this represents their interests too."

The Russian foreign minister was accompanied by Andrei Gromyko, Andrei V. Vishinsky, Russia's deputy foreign minister. Both Gromyko and Vishinsky, although they smiled broadly, refused to make any statement for the press.

RENTAL INCREASE

General Lifting Of Ceilings Is Seen During 1947

OTTAWA.—A general "across the board" increase in rental ceilings is under consideration for some period in 1947, according to a statement by the regional director of the prices board, according to information obtained here. Regional controllers will still continue to deal with specific cases, but the large increases in rents after administrative price ceilings justify a general raise in rental ceilings.

A researcher of the division is now in Washington, making a study of the U.S. rental situation. According to this information, the Canadian situation is not quite the same. In 1947, the general rental rise should not exceed 10 per cent.

HOARDING COUPONS

TORONTO.—Seventy-one-year-old William G. Reid was fined \$2,000 and costs or six months in jail when he appeared in court for selling a charge of violating, transferring and having in his possession unauthorized food ration coupons.

SOLDIERS SENTENCED

ARISTIS, Greece.—The Greek military court sentenced nine soldiers to death and 18 others to life imprisonment on charges of deserting or collaborating with left-wing armed bands.

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MAN-MADE SILK

A Frenchman is responsible for man-made silk. About a century ago Count Hilaire Chardonnet found a sac of crystal carry fluid inside a silkworm, from which the worm evidently drew the materials with which it spun silk. Chardonnet spent nearly thirty years analyzing this fluid and to create his "nitrosilk" or the original rayon. But the creation of synthetic silk meant much more than that. By developing nitrosilk, Chardonnet was the first man in history to make a textile fibre.

The Frenchman started something when he took out his patent and displayed a small piece of the first man-made silk in the Paris exhibition of 1889. "Chardonnet silk" has been greatly perfected within the last twenty years. It is known to the whole world as rayon, the substitute for silk. Its cheapness has brought it into great popular demand, and a gigantic industry has sprung up for its manufacture.

Rayon is principally made from pulp sheets of spruce and pine wood logged in Scandinavia, Canada, and the United States, mixed with cotton hulls. When these sheets reach the rayon factory they are placed in properly humidified storerooms, where a constant temperature is always main-

"W"**LIFE SPAN OF FISH**

How long do fish live, if left alone? It is not easy to take accurate account of fish, because they live under water; but we have some records which are useful, at least as indications. The New York Aquarium has a record of striped bass living for twenty years, large-mouthed bass living for eleven years, and a whitefish which reached fifteen years.

London Zoological Gardens had a lungfish which reached nineteen years, and there are unverified accounts of European trout which lived for fifty-three years in captivity.

Eels in aquariums have lived for fifty-five years. Studies of salmon show that the rate of growth and age of a fish may be judged from the scales.

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tained.

Pulp, sheet-conditioning and storage expense is a big item in overhead at the rayon factory, calling for a corps of "weather men," a big cooling, and a complete air-conditioning system. The weather man stands ever vigilant, inspecting over the many thermometers and barometers, station-

ed. Ready for use, the pulpheets are saturated in a tank of caustic soda, dried under the press of a hydraulic plunger, and ground into "crumble" which undergoes a curing process. The cured crumbs are mixed with a carbon sulphur-salt solution to become the orange-tinted xanthate. The xanthate is dissolved in water or weak caustic soda, cooled and filtered and is now the viscose product, much like that which Chardonnet found in the silkworm sac and managed after thirty years of labor, to imitate.

The viscose is passed through a machine that might well be called a silk-robot, for it is very nearly an identical mechanical imitation of a silkworm. The fluid emerges from the robot as rayon fibre, is rolled into cakes, made into skeins, washed, bleached and dried, to emerge from the factory as soft shining banks of rayon yarn.

"W"**LIFE SPAN OF FISH**

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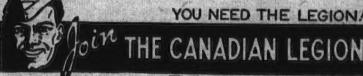
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"I've been at the wheel all day."

"I can sympathize with you," replied her neighbor, "I've been doing my mending too."

Mrs. Brown was anxious to let her

INDIANS ENTERTAIN

SCOUTS, CUBS

Wolf Cubs and Boy Scouts of Dundas, Ont., recently enjoyed a thrilling visit to the Six Nations Indian Reserve. Tepees were erected for their use, a camp fire built, and a program of Indian stories and dances was presented. Chief Cloudy-on-Both-Sides-of-the-Sky was made Honorary Cubmaster of the First Dundas Wolf Cub Pack, and named Blue Smoke, while an Indian cub, William Logan was adopted into the Pack and given the Cub name of Mowgli.

NEED OF BREAKFAST

Tests in industrial establishments have shown that the worker who "skimped" on his breakfast, did less work than the heavy eater, in his first hour, and that his efficiency declined with the advancing hours. Industrial health officers of the Department of National Health and Welfare stress the need of a good breakfast, which, they point out, should provide from one quarter to one third of the day's nutritional requirement.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of STEVE ROSIA, late of Bellvue, Alberta, Miner, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the above named STEVE ROSIA who died on 2nd May, 1946 are required to file with the undersigned by 29th November, 1946, full statement of their claim and of any security held by them and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto according to the law only to the claims so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Alfred, Bristol Zoo's gorilla, got an extra helping of lettuce as a treat on his 18th birthday.

Contributions totalling \$78,000 (\$312,000) have been received from all over the world to restore St. Paul's Cathedral.

Longest submarine telephone cable between Britain and Europe has been laid to Germany since the end of the war. It runs 200 nautical miles.

A special planning mission from Britain will draw up blueprints for new towns in war-devastated areas of Burma, Britain's newest colony.

A statue of General Louis Botha, South Africa's first Prime Minister, was unveiled at Capetown recently by his daughter, Mrs. Helen de Waal.

Machinery from the subterranean aircraft factory near Mannheim in southwestern Germany is being sent to Russia as reparations, it was announced.

Butchers in Britain may soon tag professional letters onto their names. An Institute of Butchers has been set up. Fellows, Members and Associates.

Princess Elizabeth, an expert hand with a rifle, recently stalked and shot a 12-point stag in the forests surrounding the Scottish Highland home of the brother-in-law of the Queen.

The United Nations announced that members have thus far contributed \$15,869,710.05 to the world capital fund of \$100,000,000, representing 74.7 per cent of the total assessment of \$24,999,500.

Worth Much More

Although Professors Place Value Of Good Farm Wife At \$90,000

The sunrise of the atomic age has now come to the golf course, too, according to George A. Pond, Professor of Agricultural Economics at the University of Minnesota, has the bedrock fortitude that enables a David to face a fearsome adversary. He has calculated that a farmer's wife, if a good one, is worth \$90,000 to the nation. In view of his work, Professor Pond asked farm account keepers to tell him how much their wives co-operated in running their farms. It was revealed that those who said the "co-operation of the wife would be keynote" made an average of \$29,700, or more than the group that reported their wives "did not co-operate extensively." Thus, if a farmer had an investment that would bring him \$29,700, he could expect to get \$90,000. Therefore, if there's anything in logic, a farm wife is worth that sum.

It seems to us that this is a commendable figure. Without going into the question of how one would determine the value of city and suburban wives, we can easily see that a sum for a lady who runs a house, takes care of children, looks after the chickens, heats the milk and bottle-feeds orphan lambs, helps in the garden, makes pie enough, a man can eat, and cooks for breakfast, baked beans at Saturday, and is willing to make home-made biscuits with reasonable frequency. Add to this the fact that she understands that a man wants fried potatoes for supper five nights a week, and the professor's mathematical conclusion is far too low. We would make it a flat \$100,000 without quibbling. —New York Times.

Whitewash Is Sanitary

Should Be Applied To All Winter Quarters Of Farm Animals

Soon the farm animals and the poultry will go into winter quarters. If the buildings are clean and sanitary the livestock can be more easily kept in good health and with good health they will work better and produce more.

It is not a big job to put the buildings in a sanitary condition; whitewash will do. The surface to be whitewashed should be free from dirt or grease. Just before applying the whitewash sweep the surface so that the wash will not set quickly. If a sprayer is used, preference to a brush, be sure to strain the whitewash through two or three layers of cheesecloth. A good disinfectant can be made by adding one or two cups of carbolic acid to each gallon of whitewash.

Good recipes on how to mix whitewash of different kinds may be obtained by writing to Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. These recipes include ordinary whitewash, interior whitewash, exterior weatherproof whitewash, simple cold water paint, weatherproof cold water paint, and washable cold water paint.

A WONDERFUL GIFT

Prime Minister Smuts of South Africa presented Britain cash gifts of £1,000,000 (£2,000,000,000) and a "valuable tribute" from the South African people. In a ceremony at 10 Downing street, Prime Minister Attlee said the gifts were "a wonderful symbol" which demonstrated "the spirit in which we must go forward to a new and peaceful era."

El Azhar at Cairo is the oldest university in the world, founded in 927 A.D.



LITTLE SILVER MINE

United States WAA Discovered De-salting Kit Bags Were Valuable

Discovery of what amounted to a little silver mine in war surplus was reported to the United States War Assets Administration.

Milton Hammer, WAA official, said the agency some time ago became suspicious of purchaser interest in surplus de-salting kit, used to make sea water drinkable.

Thereupon he had the kit assayed by the Bureau of Standards and found that five ounces of silver-worth several dollars—could be extracted from each kit. They had sold for as little as five cents each.

Hammer related the "silver rush" story to the House antiques property committee.

Prospective purchasers, he said, proceeded in their negotiations with WAA for thousands of the kits on the basis of the age of the device, where the silver could be removed.

Not one prospective purchaser told the agency "there is silver in these kits," he said. One purchased said he wanted the kits because of the pretty little bags they were put up in.

Immediately upon the report from the Bureau of Standards, Hammer said, he froze the 235,000 kits the surplus agency still had on hand.

Now, he said, the WAA has offered the kits to the public at a price with a bottom price of \$3.75 each.

He expressed the opinion that the government will get at least \$4 for each kit. They cost the government \$20 each. They are being sold on the basis of their silver content.

Extra Precautions

Have To Be Taken To Keep Penicillin Free From Bacteria

Great Slave Lake Was Called After Tribe Of Indians

Great Slave Lake, a mystifying title to many of us, is larger than Lake Erie and is said to be the remnant of slavery, was named, it is said, for a tribe of Indians called Slavies, which once roamed in that region. Yellowknife has more point, for it also is named after an Indian tribe, the Indians having got their name from carrying yellow robes made from copper of the Coppermine river country to the north of Great Slave lake.

At temperatures near absolute zero most metals completely lose their resistance to flow of electrical current.

Soap-making on an industrial scale is believed to have originated in Italy at the time of the Roman Empire.

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MIGHT BE POSSIBLE

But Colonizers Of Moon Would Have To Breathe Artificial Air

In 100 years' time, instead of "go west, young man," it may be "go up, young man."

Eager young scientists belonging to the British Interplanetary Society claim that colonisation of the moon is not beyond the bounds of possibility.

They say they are confident a spaceship will reach the moon within the next 20 or 30 years. After that, almost anything is possible. But the colonists are certain: colonisers of the moon will breathe artificially. They are satisfied there is no air there.

"It is quite possible to land on the moon," says L. C. Carter, secretary of the society. "The special provisions will be necessary because there is no air, no water and no erosion. And there are craters so vast that when viewed from one side the other side could be below the horizon."

Mr. Carter adds: "We may probably find no life on the moon—but we know it. He did not discount the possibility that creatures living on something 'other than air' might exist."

Members of the interplanetary society work in their spare time and without laboratories to gain more knowledge of lunar conditions and of the possibility of travel between the planets.

The scientists have tied down moon travel to a few years hence, but the society is not so optimistic as that.

"Although we can say that research is coming along very, very rapidly, it may be 20 or 30 years before a spaceship can reach the moon," Mr. Carter said. "Any one of our members would willingly risk his life on the first trial trip."

Many members are established scientists.

MORE FOR EDUCATION

The Moscow radio said that the expenditure for education in the new Russian budget for the fiscal year 1946-47 would be 40,160,000,000 rubles (\$8,032,000,000), an increase of 13,792,000,000 rubles (\$2,755,000,000) over the preceding year.



BASEBALL TO ANTIQUES—See Annual Brooklyn Antiquie Fair Is A Salute to Brooklyn, which recently celebrated its 300th birthday. Prize attraction at the show are these three French fan dating back to early 1800's. An estimated \$60,000 an tiques are being displayed.

Return To Bikini

Says Natives Think Of The Island As A Gold Mine

It is quite probable that the natives of Bikini, who moved off the island for the hydrogen atom bomb tests, return there again. It is to them a gold mine, Air Vice-Marshal E. W. Stedman, who was present at both the Bikini tests, told a gathering in Ottawa.

Asked if, as it turned out, the descendants of the inhabitants of the island had been wise, the speaker agreed that it had. For one thing—he said, the shower of water which fell on the island after the underwater blast was a great source of radioactive water. It had been unsafe over the reef and would have been unsafe for anyone living there.

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Local and General Items

Miss Julia Jaschinski returned to Vancouver Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Roberts Simister is a patient in the hospital at Lethbridge.

On Thursday evening Bruce and Michael Pinkney entertained a number of their young friends at a Holloween party.

Ven. Archdeacon R. Axon, BD, of Calgary will be preacher at the Sunday evening service at St. Luke's Anglican church.

We heard—That when a girl is a good loser at strip poker it isn't always good sportsmanship . . . it could be conceit.

The kiddies of town were treated to a Holloween party in the miner's hall on Wednesday evening, and all showed up in costume.

The sermon topic at the United church on "Sunday evening" will be "Amor, Prophet of Justice." You are cordially invited to be present.

The parliamentary candidate had thundered through an impassioned address at his opening meeting.

"And," he shouted, "if a lie has passed my lips this evening may a thunderbolt from the skies fall on my head."

As he spoke the platform collapsed in a cloud of dust and the orator disappeared from view. The audience sat spellbound. After a few tense moments, the speaker emerged from the wreckage.

"Gosh," exclaimed a voice from the rear of the hall, "it missed him."

TRY OUR SOCIETY PRINTING

Mrs. S. G. Bannon returned from Calgary on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lord were Calgary visitors during the week.

Mrs. A. Penman left last night for her home in Vancouver after spending the summer months visiting in town.

Owing to the heavy snow drifts three Greyhound buses were held over in Blairmore on Wednesday, and passengers proceeded on their journey by train.

Mrs. J. J. Murray and daughter Beth, spent a few days in Calgary this week, business combined with pleasure. J. J. was keeping the home fires burning.

The Ladies Aid of the Blairmore United church will hold their Annual Fall Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the Auditorium on Saturday, Nov. 2nd, 3 to 5:30. Tea 25 cents. Come and bring your friends.

Holloween passed off quietly, with no damage committed as far as we are able to learn. Of course, store windows received a liberal application of scroll work artificially (?) done with candle—proving there IS a soap shortage.

LAUNCHING THE SHIP

Electric eyes will be used in order to launch future big ships into the Clyde. A safety measure, the use of the "eyes," will enable carpenters to walk clear at a normal pace instead of making the usual last-minute rush after knocking away the keel blocks and shores which hold ships in position in the slipways. In addition, the device will eliminate possible hitches in the course of the actual launching.

When a big ship is ready for the water an electric eye, linked by a wire to a switchboard from which electric power is passing through cables to giant machines below the keel, will emit rays on a narrow white line on the side of the red painted bows. When the shores and blocks have been knocked clear the vessel will be prevented from rushing into the water by these great machines because the power fed to them through cables pressed them hard against the keel like brakes. The ship has, in fact, a mechanical brake as, creaking and groaning, she slowly settles down on the greased sliding ways for her progress into the water. As she settles, the hull will move slightly and with it the white line on the bow. This will throw the "eyes" rays clear of the white line on to the red-colored hull, and the change will cause the "eye" to blink, sending an impulse along the connecting wire to the switchboard, which will shut off the power being transmitted to the machines.

Deprived of power, the machines will fall away and the ship will be unleashed.

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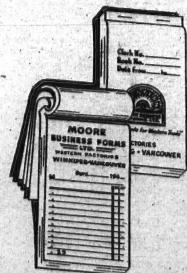
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